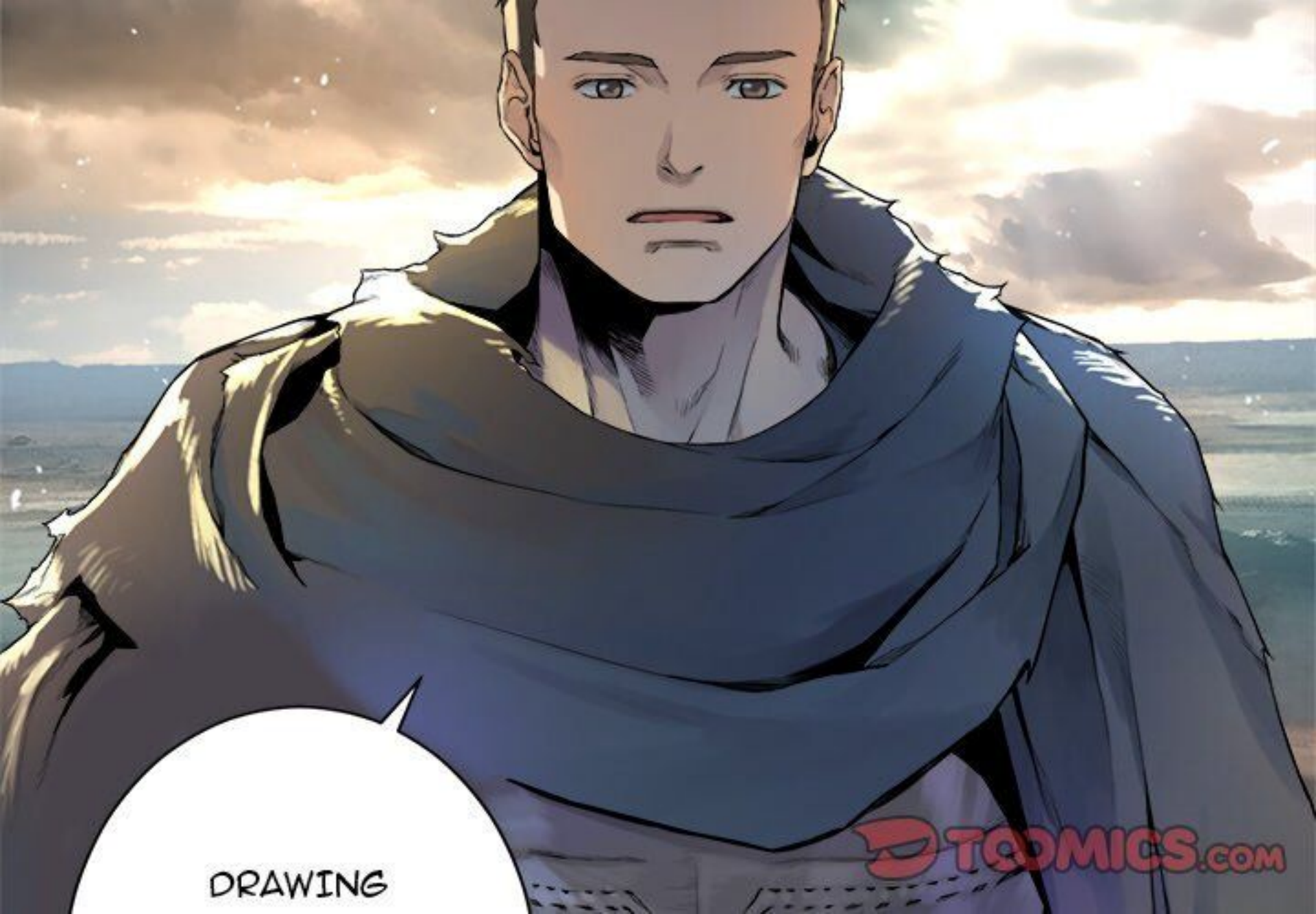




HEY...
ARE YOU
OKAY?

YOU MAY BE
USING THESE
RUINS, BUT...




DRAWING


 **TOOMICS**.COM

MANA FROM
THE ENELI'S
DIMENSION
ISN'T EASY.






YOU TOLD
ME YOU FEEL
A LOT OF
PAIN...



WHENEVER YOU
USE THE "BLESSING
OF THE ENELI".



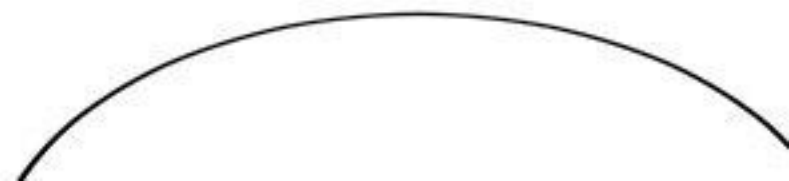
AND THIS
TIME WOULD'VE
BEEN MUCH
WORSE THAN
BEFORE...







KALTOVIA.




I WONDER IF
THIS IS THE RIGHT
DECISION...

AN ENELI
THAT LIES...

JUST TO
STOP A HUMAN
FROM WORRYING...





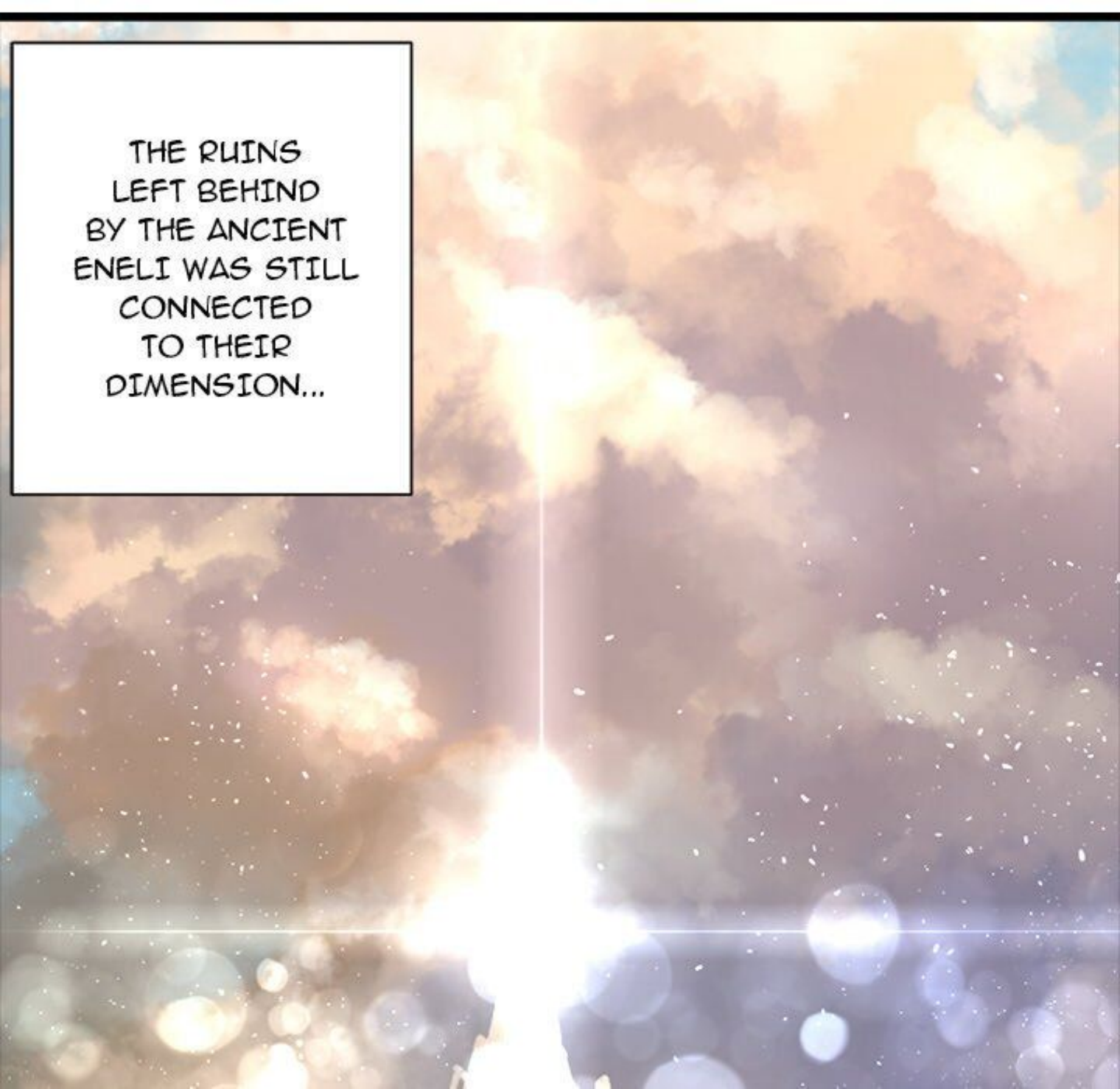



IT'S
HEARTBREAKING
JUST LOOKING
AT YOU...

LILLE.

HIER SUMMON

THE RUINS
LEFT BEHIND
BY THE ANCIENT
ENELI WAS STILL
CONNECTED
TO THEIR
DIMENSION...





AND WITH
THE HELP OF
A SINGLE ENELI...
THE NORTH WAS
PURIFIED.

BUT AFTER
WATCHING THE
ENELI USE HER
BLESSING FOR
A LONG TIME...





KALTOVIA
BECAME
INCREASINGLY
CONFLICTED.

NO MATTER
HOW MUCH PAIN
THE ENELI
SUFFERED...

ONCE THE
HUMANS KNEW
THEY WERE
CAPABLE OF
PURIFYING THE
NORTH...





THEY WOULD
EXPLOIT THAT TO
THE FULLEST.

HE HAD NO
CHOICE BUT TO
CONCOCT A TALE
ABOUT DIVINE
CEASES TO

BEASTS TO
FOOL THE
HUMANS.



WHENEVER
THE NORTH WAS
AT RISK. HE ASKED

...HE ASKED
US FOR HELP.

THERE WAS
NO REASON TO
DECLINE HIS
REQUEST, WHEN
HE WAS FIGHTING
FOR THE NORTH.

HE WOULD
ALWAYS SAY...



THAT HE
WOULD TURN
THE NORTH BACK
TO THE WAY
IT WAS...


AND BREAK
THIS CYCLE
OF PAIN.

I THOUGHT

I THOUGHT
HE WAS JUST
A MONSTER...

MMM...





BUT TO THINK
THAT HE USED
TO BE SUCH AN
AMAZING GUY...

I FEEL
KINDA BAD...



EVEN IF
PEOPLE MIGHT
NOT KNOW THE
TRUTH BECAUSE
EVERYONE IS AFRAID



THEY'RE SO HARD
TO MEET...

WOULDN'T
THE PEOPLE AT
THE SHRINE...

REALIZE THAT
THE DIVINE BEAST
IS AN ENELI
EVENTUALLY?



I BET THEY
ALREADY KNOW.



THEY'RE
THE ONES WHO
KIDNAPPED THE
ENELI AND LOCKED
HER UP IN THE TOP
OF THE TOWER,
AFTER ALL.






TH-THEY
DID?!

WHAT?!

HOW
COULD
THEY...!




HOW DO
YOU THINK? THE
THING KALTOVIA
FEARED ENDED
UP HAPPENING.

THE TRIBUTES
AND OFFERING THE
BELIEVERS OFFER
THEM IS PROBABLY
MORE THAN WORTH
IT TO THEM.



THEY'RE THE
ONLY ONES WHO
AREN'T HAVING
ANY TROUBLE
LIVING IN THE
NORTH, AFTER
ALL!




DO YOU
GET IT, NOW?
YOU GUYS HAD
IT ALL WRONG.

ALL WE WANT
TO DO IS UNDO
THE TRAGEDY
THAT THE PEOPLE
AT THE SHRINE
CAUSED!

AND THE
ONLY WAY
THAT COULD
HAPPEN WAS
THROUGH
STEALING.



THEY'RE
THE ONES WHO
USE THE "OTVINE

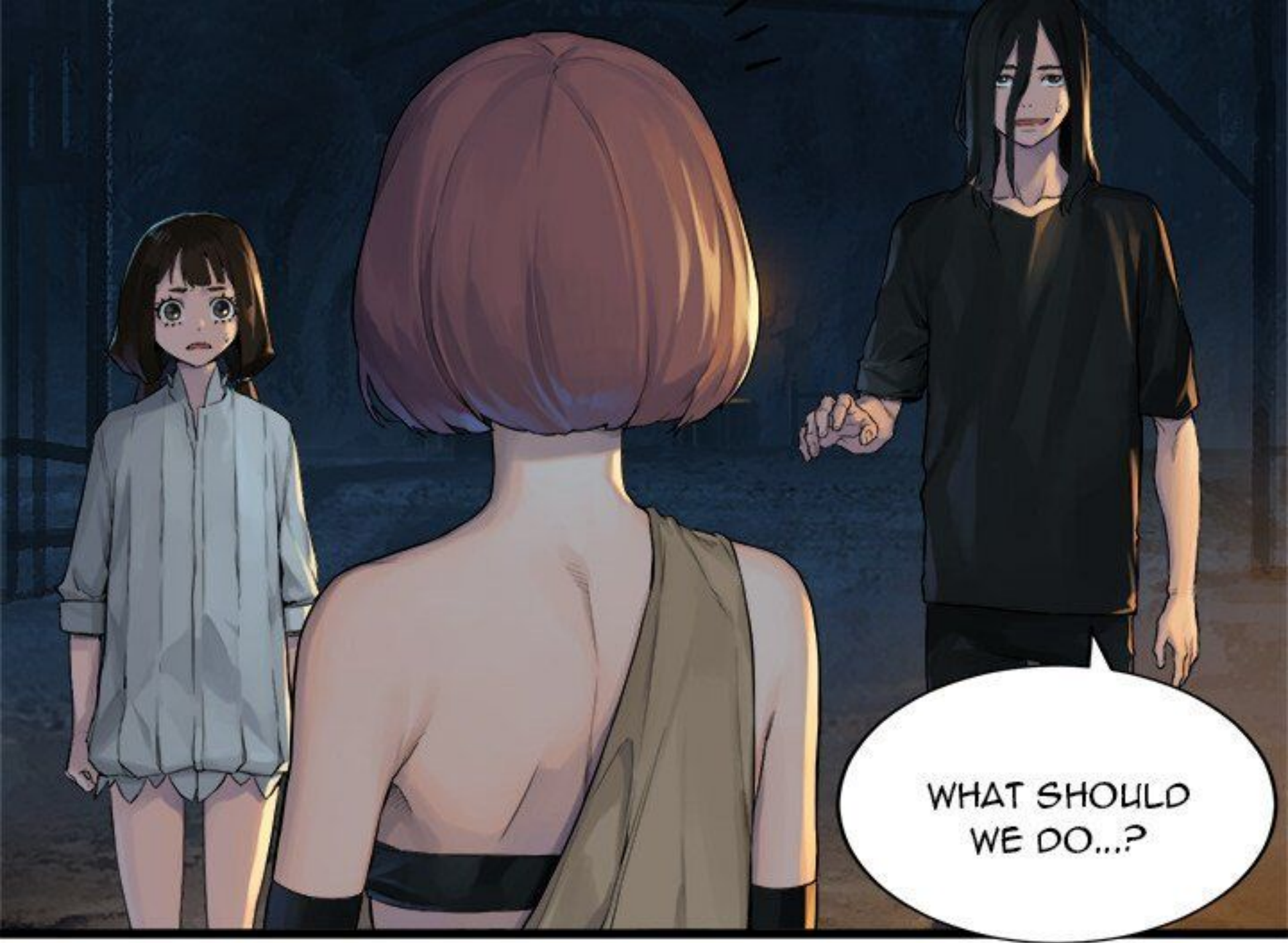


USE THE "DIVINE
BEASTS" AND THEN
SELL THEM OFF
FOR MEAT.


DO YOU
GET IT,
NOW?



AH...
UM...



WHAT SHOULD
WE DO...?

The background of the image is a dark blue night sky. In the lower right quadrant, there is a bright, glowing full moon. The sky is filled with soft, dark blue clouds that are more concentrated around the moon and towards the right side of the frame. The top half of the image is a solid white background where the speech bubbles are located.

THAT BEATRICE
GIRL...

IS THEIR
PRISONER.



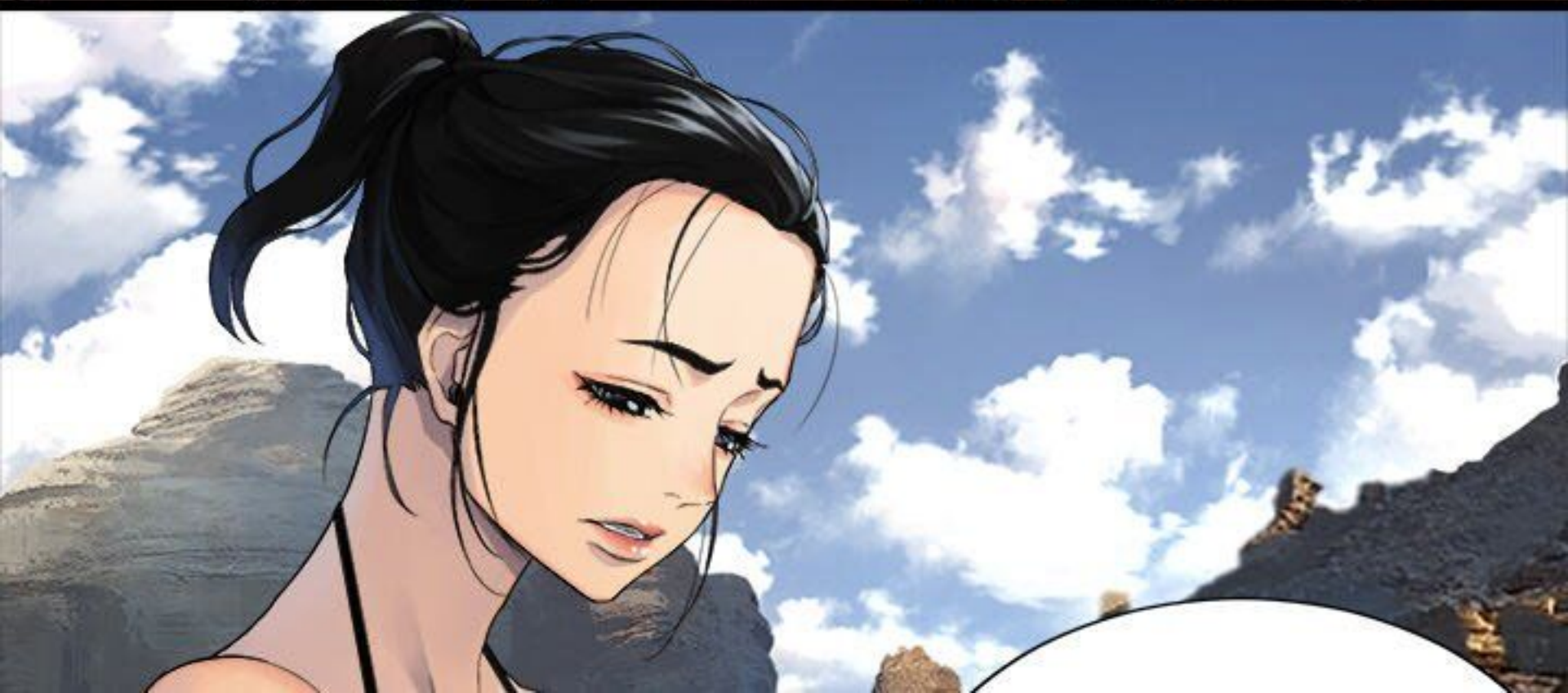



WHY ME?!




I ONLY JUST
MOVED UP FROM
BEING A PETTY
THIEF. HOW COULD
ABYSS...








NO ONE'S
GOING TO LISTEN
TO SOMEONE LIKE
ME, ANYWAY...



FINE. I GET
WHY YOU'RE
WORRIED.




EVERYONE
KNOWS THE
WORLD OF THIEVES
IS FULL OF PEOPLE
THAT DO WHATEVER

THAT DO WHATEVER
THEY WANT.




BUT THE
INFORMATION
OBTAINED FROM
THE UNDERWORLD
IS TOO POWERFUL
AND DANGEROUS.

WE NEED
SOMEONE TO



SOMEONE TO
LEAD THE THIEVES
SO THEY DON'T
MISUSE THAT
INFORMATION.




AT THE
VERY LEAST,
YOU'RE SMART
ENOUGH TO KNOW
RIGHT FROM
WRONG...



UNLIKE
THOSE OTHER
FOOLS.



I NEED YOU
TO HANG ON
AT LEAST UNTIL
I'M BACK FROM



HELPING THAT
PERSON.

PLEASE.



LGH...



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CAW

CAW

FLAP

FLAP





UGH!

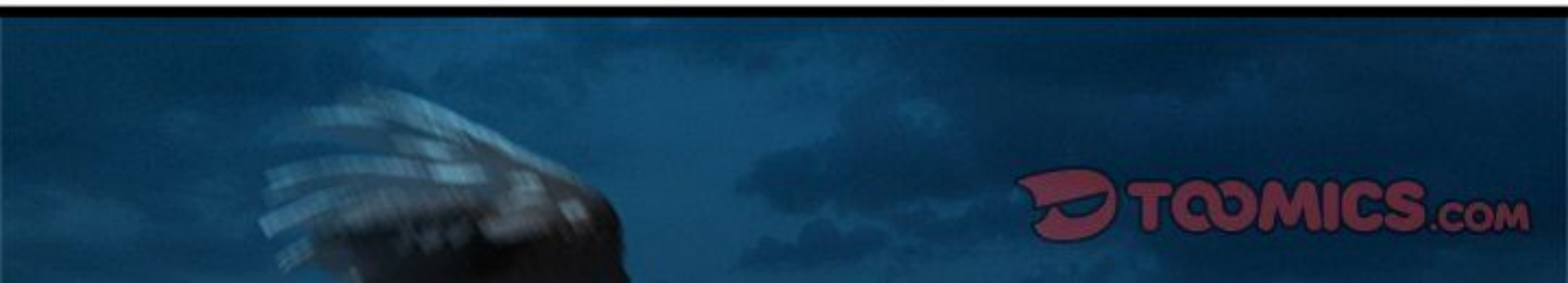
FLAP

FLAP

FLAP



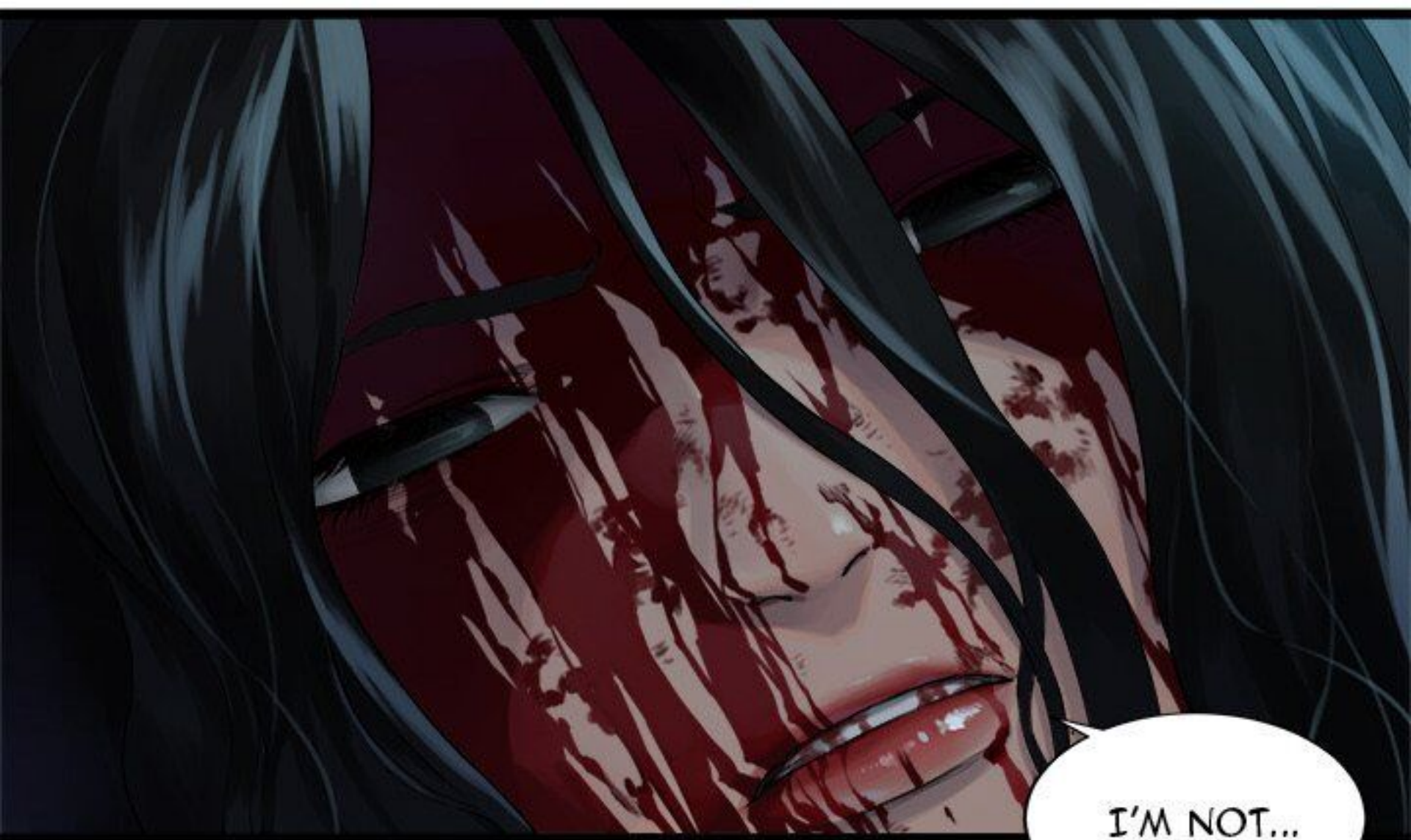
HAA!



FLAP

FLAP





I'M NOT...

I'M NOT
DEAD, YET.



NOT YET...

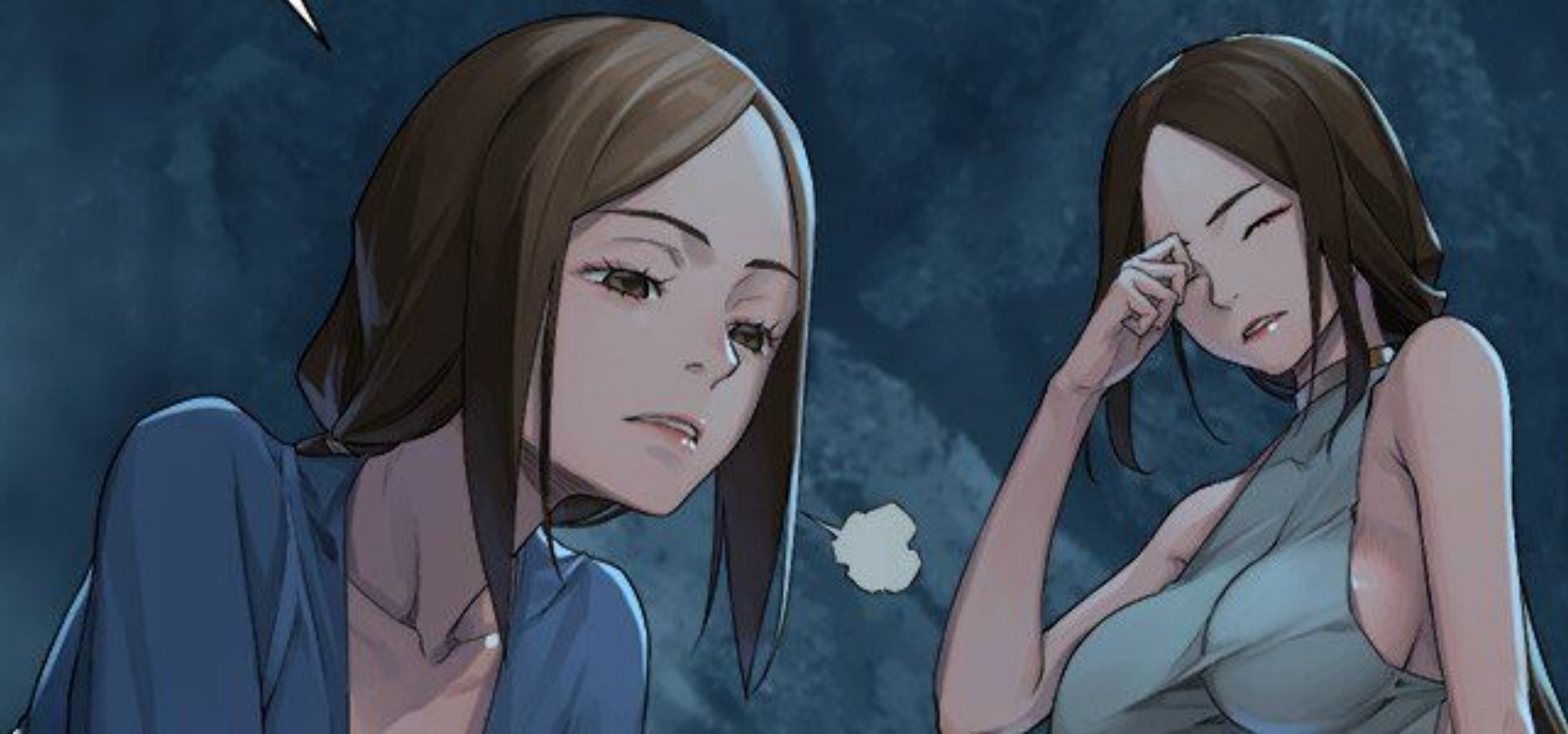






HMMM...

SHE'S STILL
ALIVE.





WHO CARES
ABOUT THAT?
I'M GONNA DIE
FROM LACK OF
SLEEP.


WHY DO
WE HAVE TO
WATCH HER?

WHAT A

WHAT A
JOKE.


IT'S NOT LIKE
THIEVES WILL
EVER COME BACK
FOR ONE OF
THEIR OWN,
RIGHT?

PFFT



WHAT'S FUNNIER
IS THE FACT THAT
WE'RE THE ONLY
ONES HERE THAT
CAN TAKE THEM ON.

WHO DO
THEY THINK
WE ARE?

A dark, atmospheric comic panel background featuring a massive, jagged mountain peak under a stormy, dark blue sky. In the lower foreground, two characters are seen from behind, sitting on a rocky ledge and looking out at the mountain. The character on the left is wearing a blue robe, and the character on the right is wearing a white dress. Three large, white speech bubbles with black outlines are overlaid on the scene.

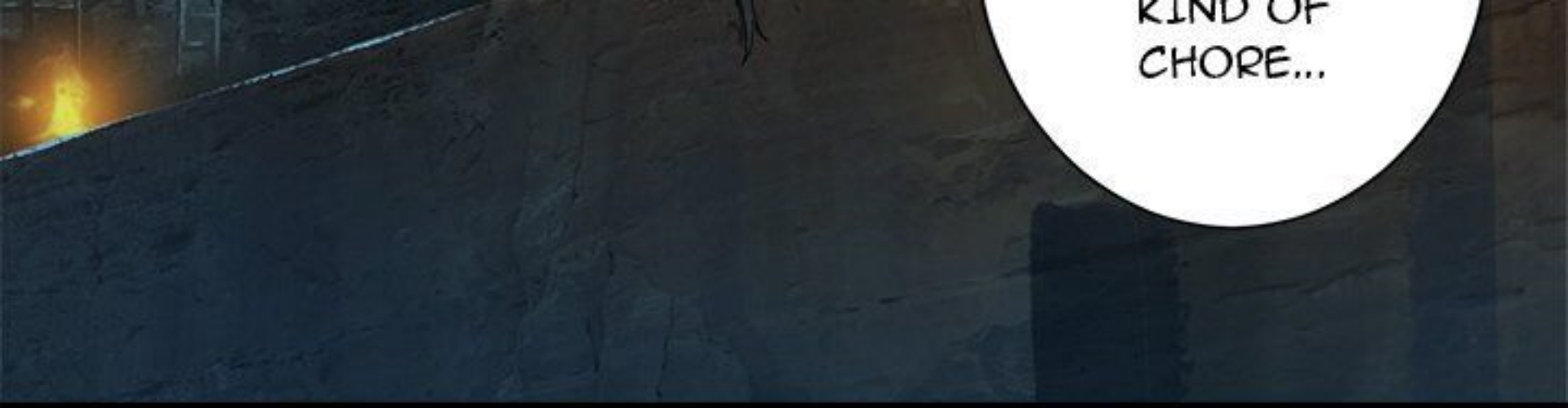
EVEN ELLEYRA,
GORHA'S BEST
SUMMONER...

COULDN'T
DO ANYTHING
AGAINST MY HIGH
LEVEL AND YOUR
HIGH SPEED SPIRIT
SUMMON...

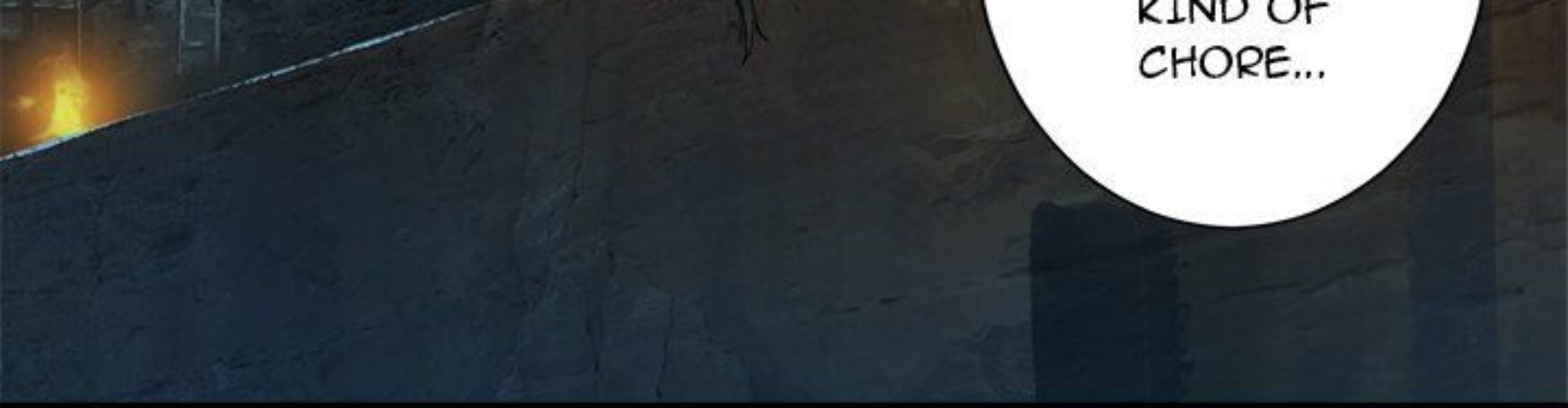
TO THINK
WE'D END UP
DOING THIS
KIND OF



KIND OF
CHORE...



WHAT A
PAIN...



I HOPE SHE
HURRIES UP
AND KICKS THE
BUCKET.



RIGHT?

The image features a dark, deep blue night sky filled with wispy clouds. A bright comet with a long, glowing tail streaks diagonally from the upper left towards the center. In the bottom right corner, a rugged, rocky mountain slope is visible, partially covered in snow or ice. The overall scene is atmospheric and celestial.

HOOWWL







D-DIVINE
BEAST!!



HAA...

PANT

PANT

Woosh!!

DIVINE
BEAST!!







KYAA!!



OTVINE

DIVINE
BEAST! WHERE
ARE YOU OFF
TO IN SUCH A
HURRY?!





SHOULDN'T
YOU BE PRAYING
FOR US?

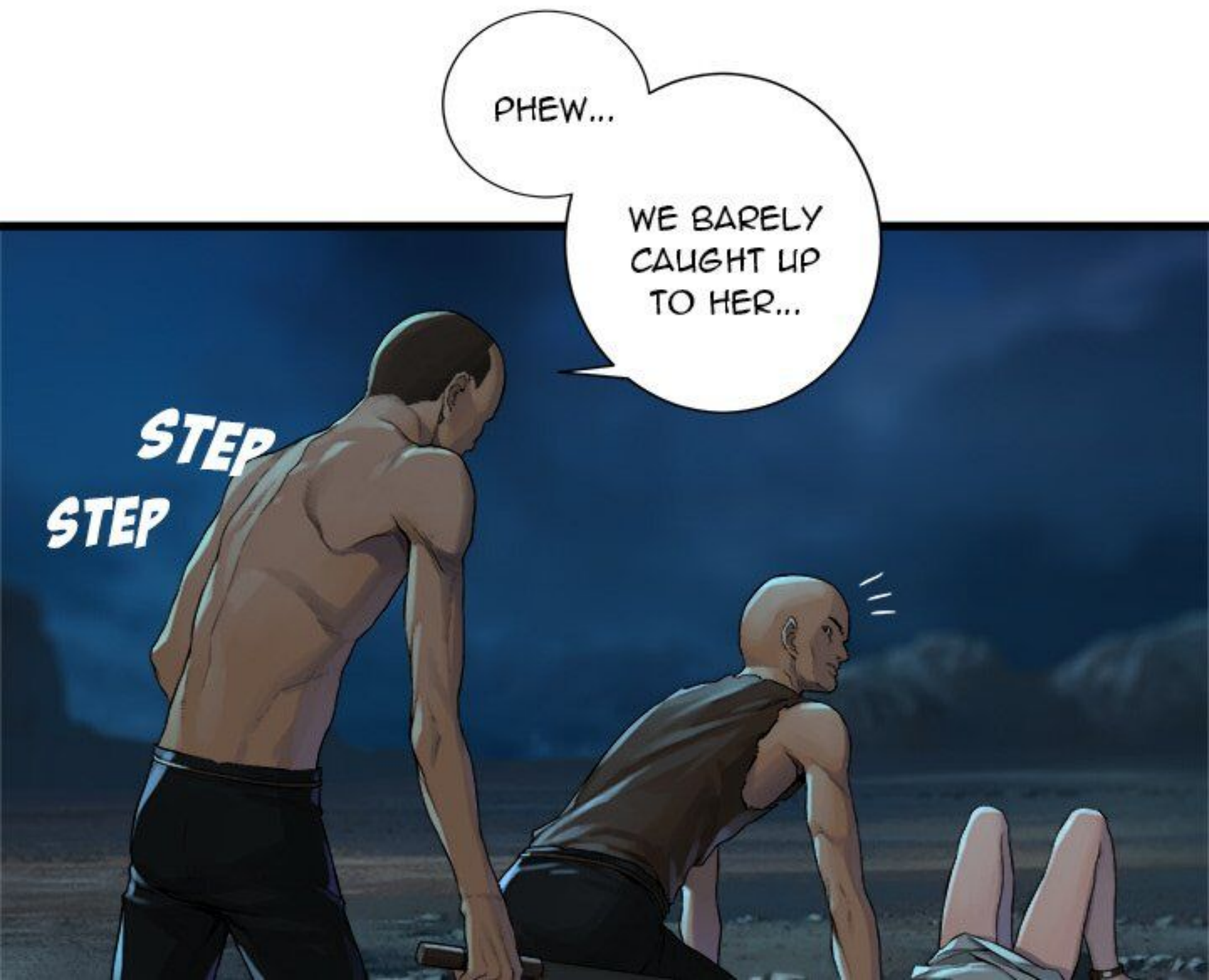


WE WANT
YOU TO BLESS
US WITH YOUR
MERCY!!

PHEW...

WE BARELY
CAUGHT UP
TO HER...

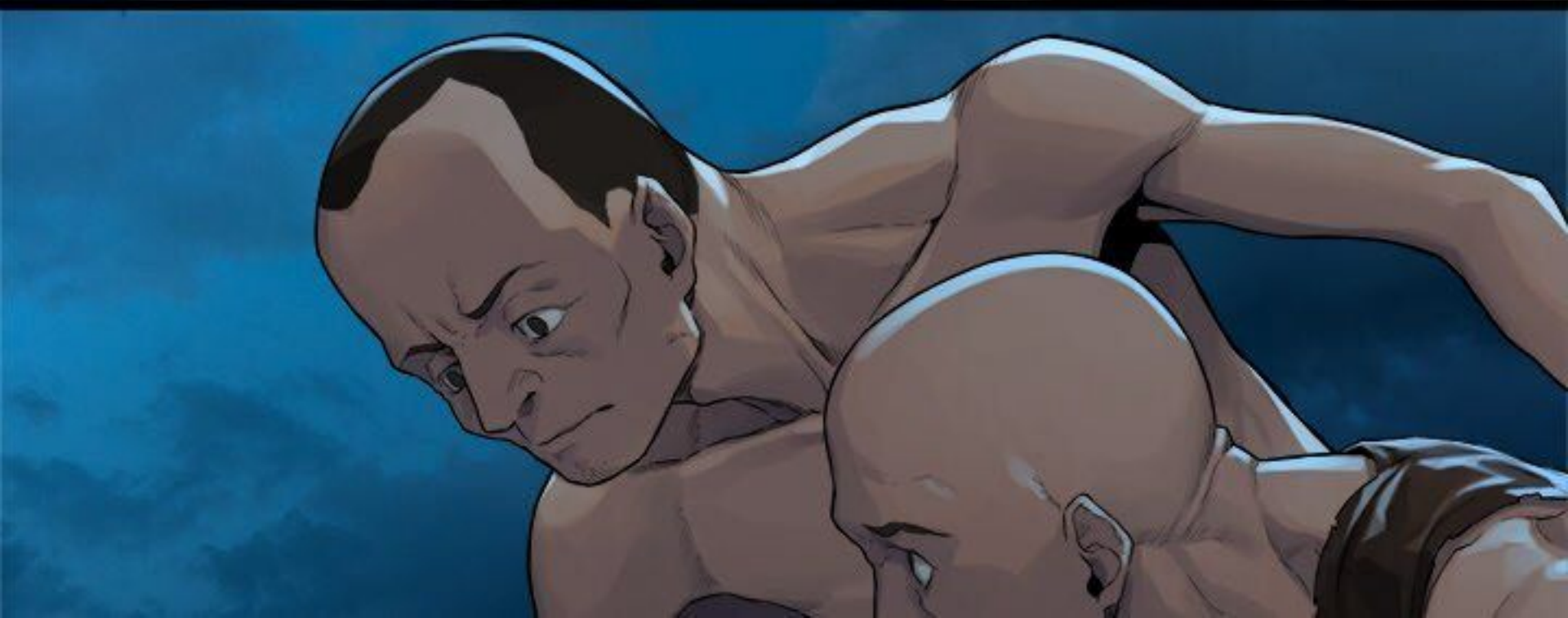
STEP
STEP






HEY!
LET'S HURRY
UP AND GET
A BITE.



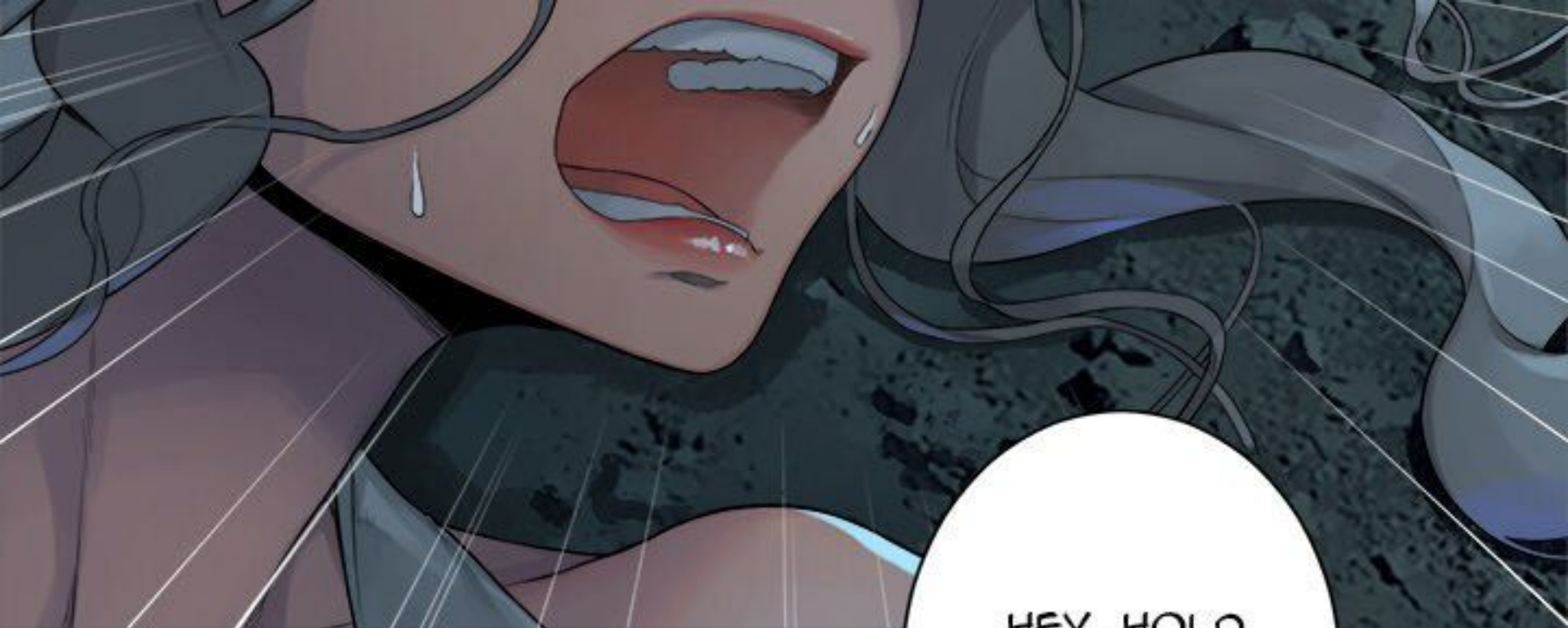




THAT
SCARED ME...



KYAAA!!



HEY, HOLD
ON TO HER
PROPERLY!



SHE
DODGED IT...

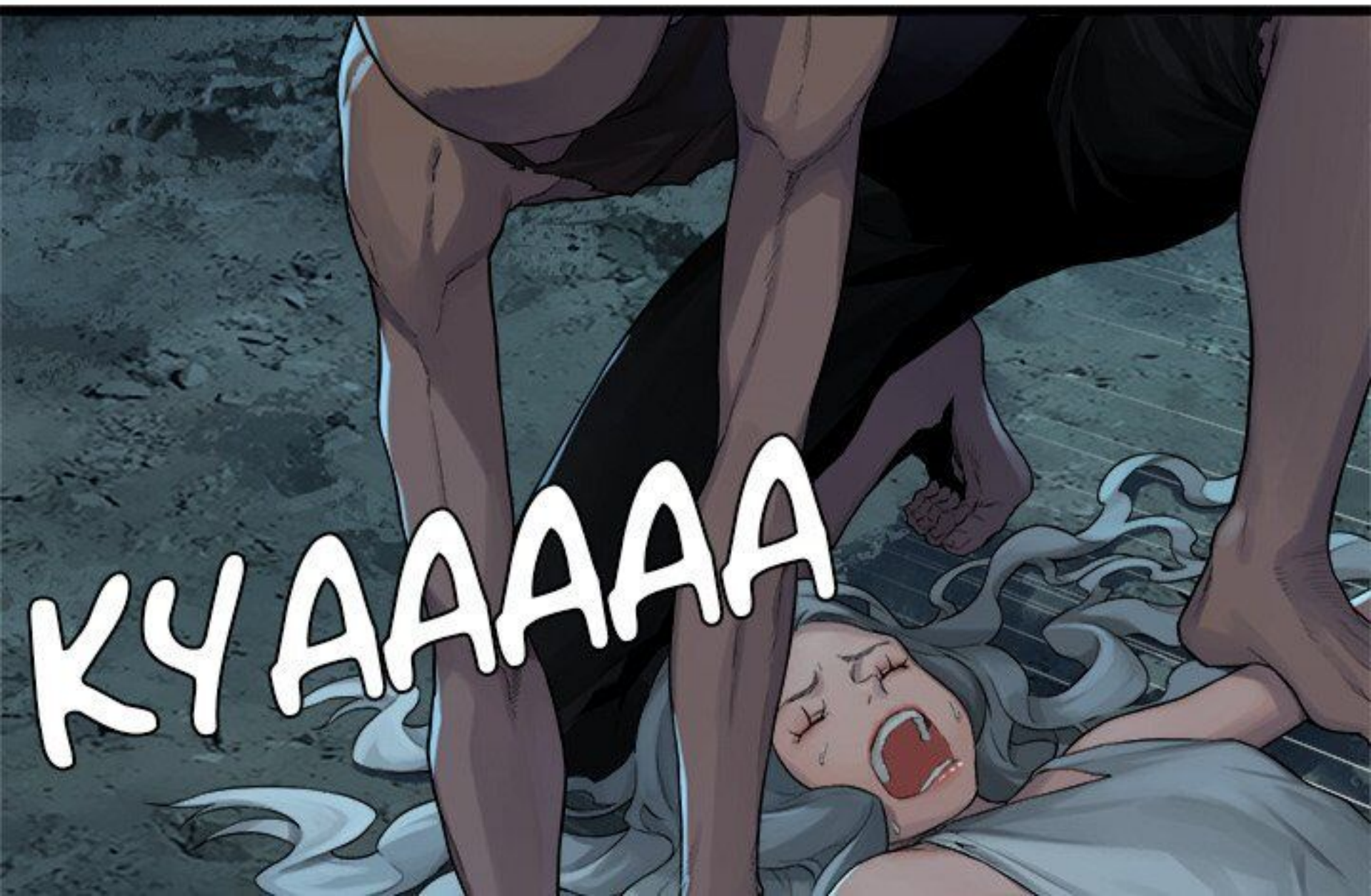


OKAY,
HOLD ON.

FLAIL

FLAIL

UWAAAAH...



KYAAAAAAAAA



LIWAAAAH...





GET HIM!!










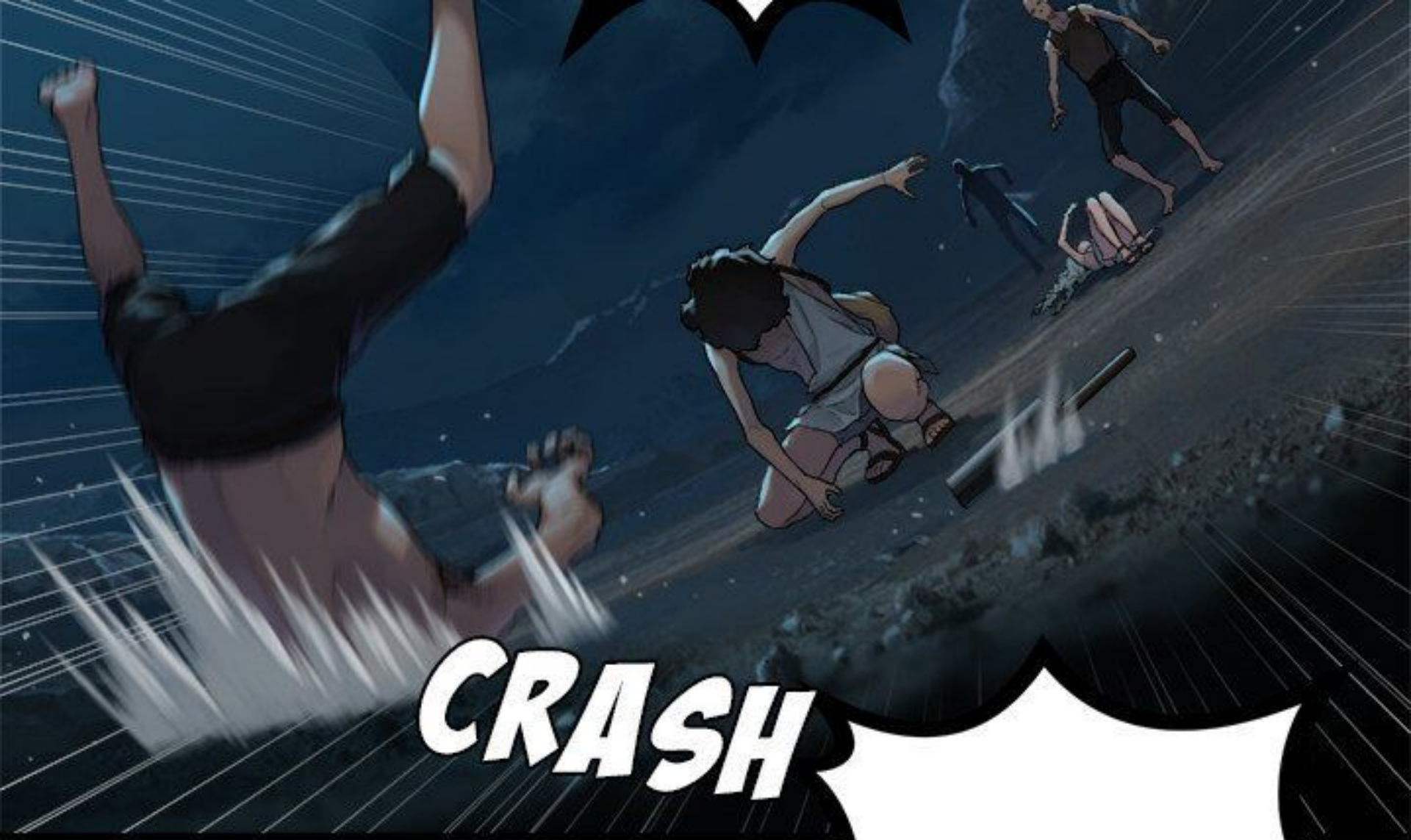
THUD



OOF!



W-WHAT
WAS THAT!



YOU STILL
DIDN'T GET HIM?!

WATCH OUT!



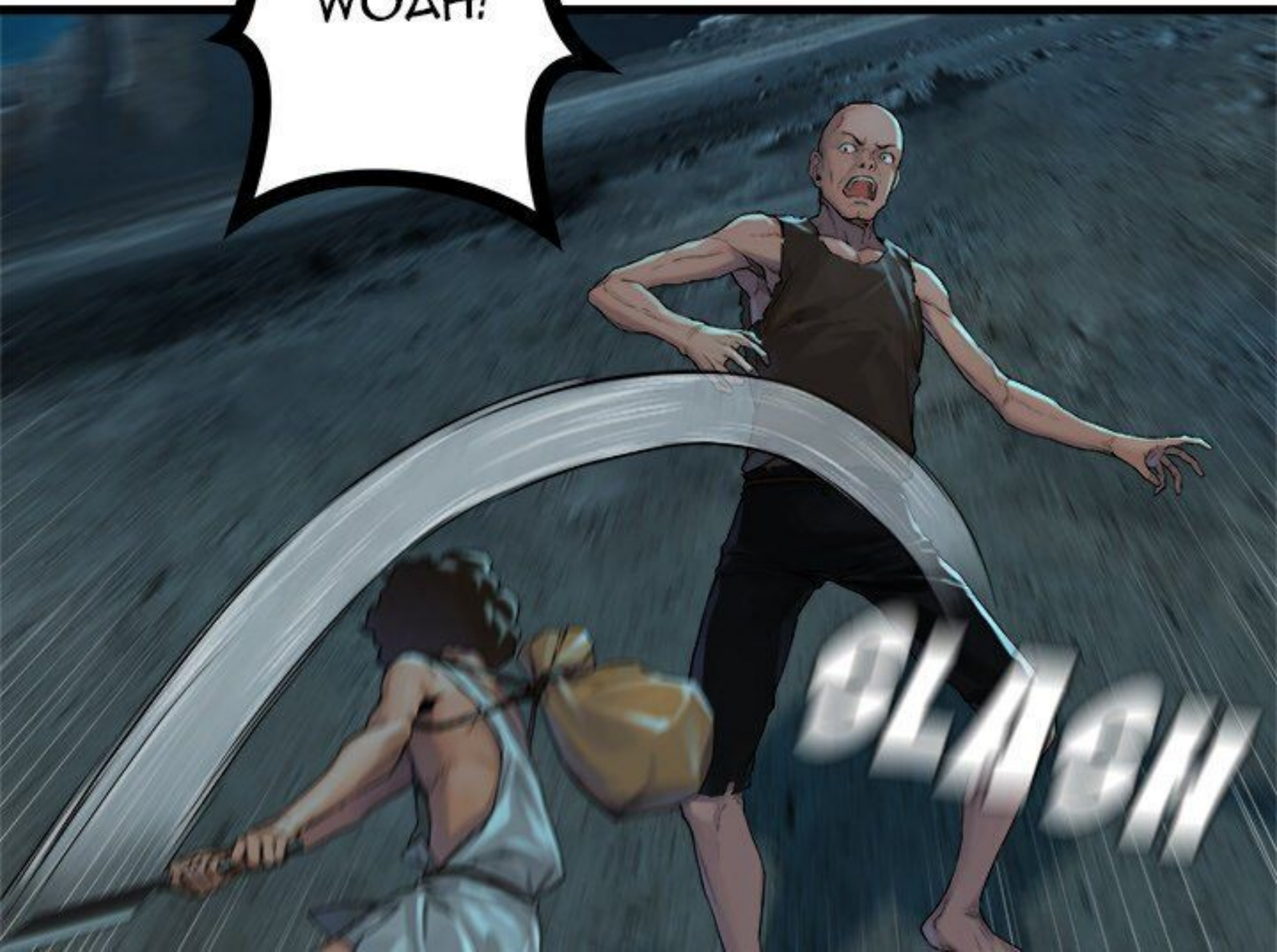


HE'S NO
ORDINARY
BRAT!



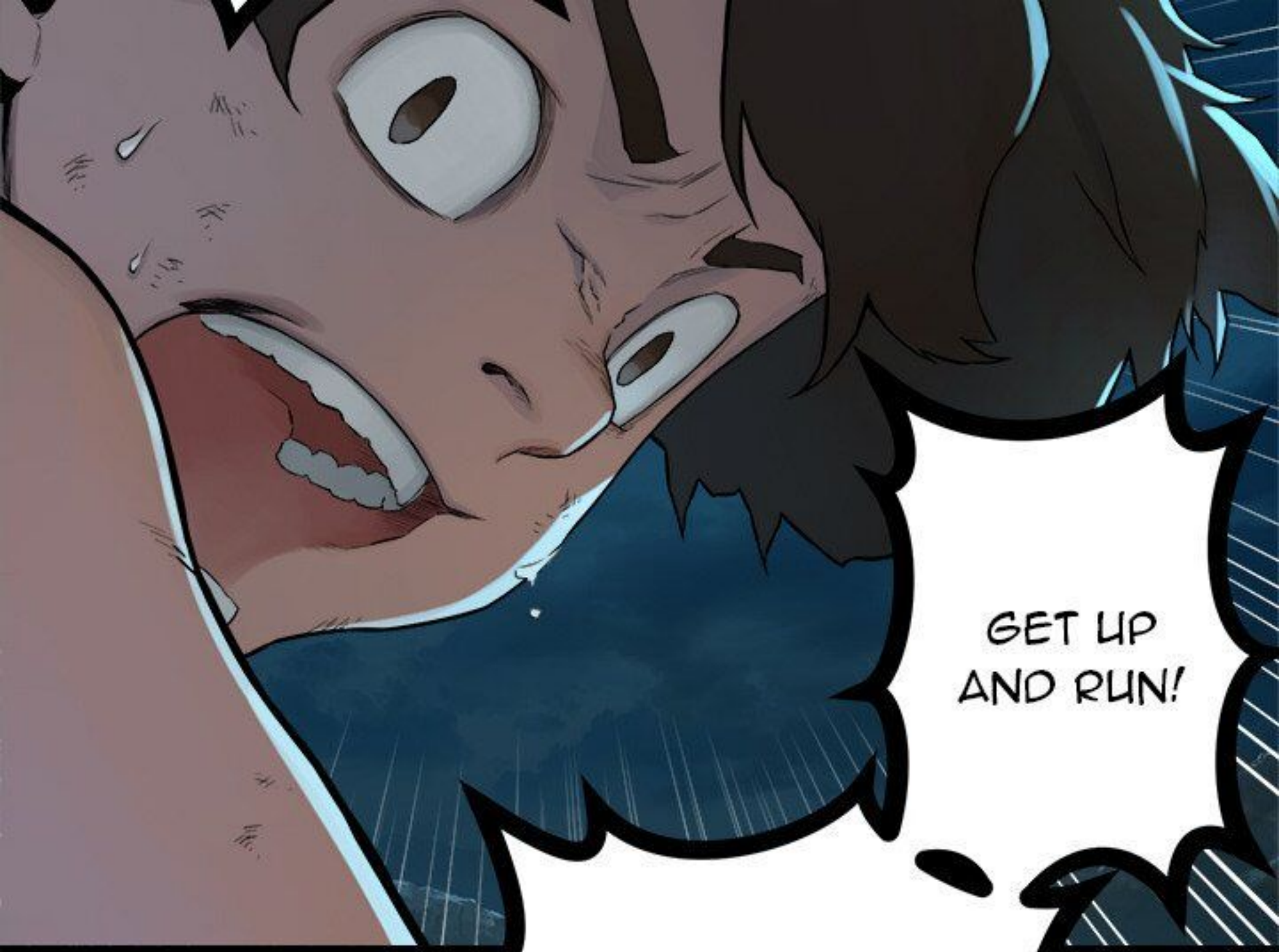


WOAH!





GET UP!



GET UP
AND RUN!


HIDE, JUST
LIKE YOU DID
UNDER THE

ROCK!!

DASH

ARE YOU
GUYS OUT OF
YOUR MINDS?!



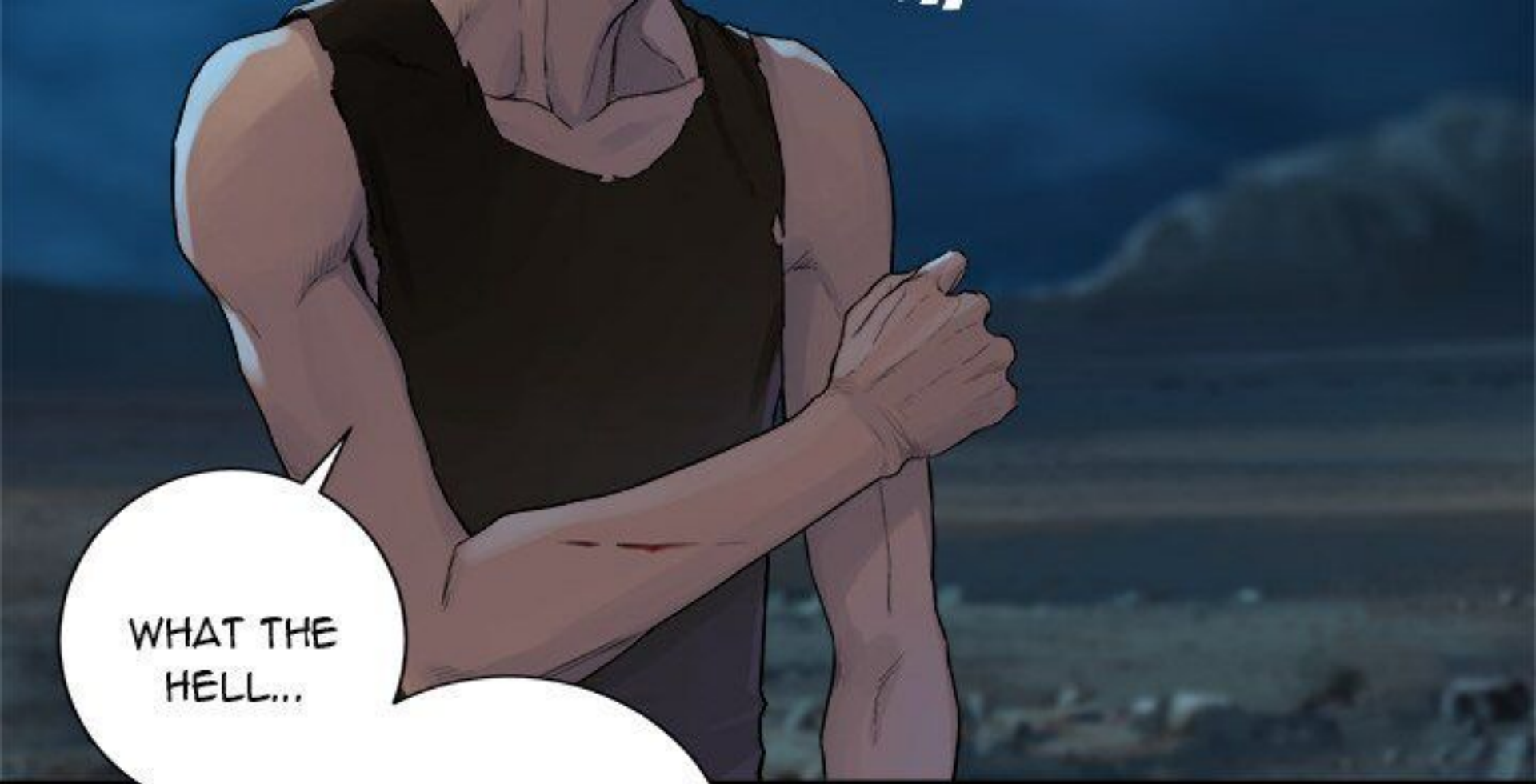


HOW COULD
SOMEONE WHO
PRAYED FOR THE
DIVINE BEAST
DO THIS?!

HOW COULD
YOU EVEN THINK
OF EATING HER?!




TCH



WHAT THE
HELL...

HE'S SERIOUS
ABOUT THIS.




LOOK, BRAT.
YOU BETTER
NOT MAKE THE
WRONG CHOICE.


IF YOU
JOIN US, WE'LL
GIVE YOU A
BITE, TOO.



I DON'T
WANT SOMETHING
LIKE THAT!



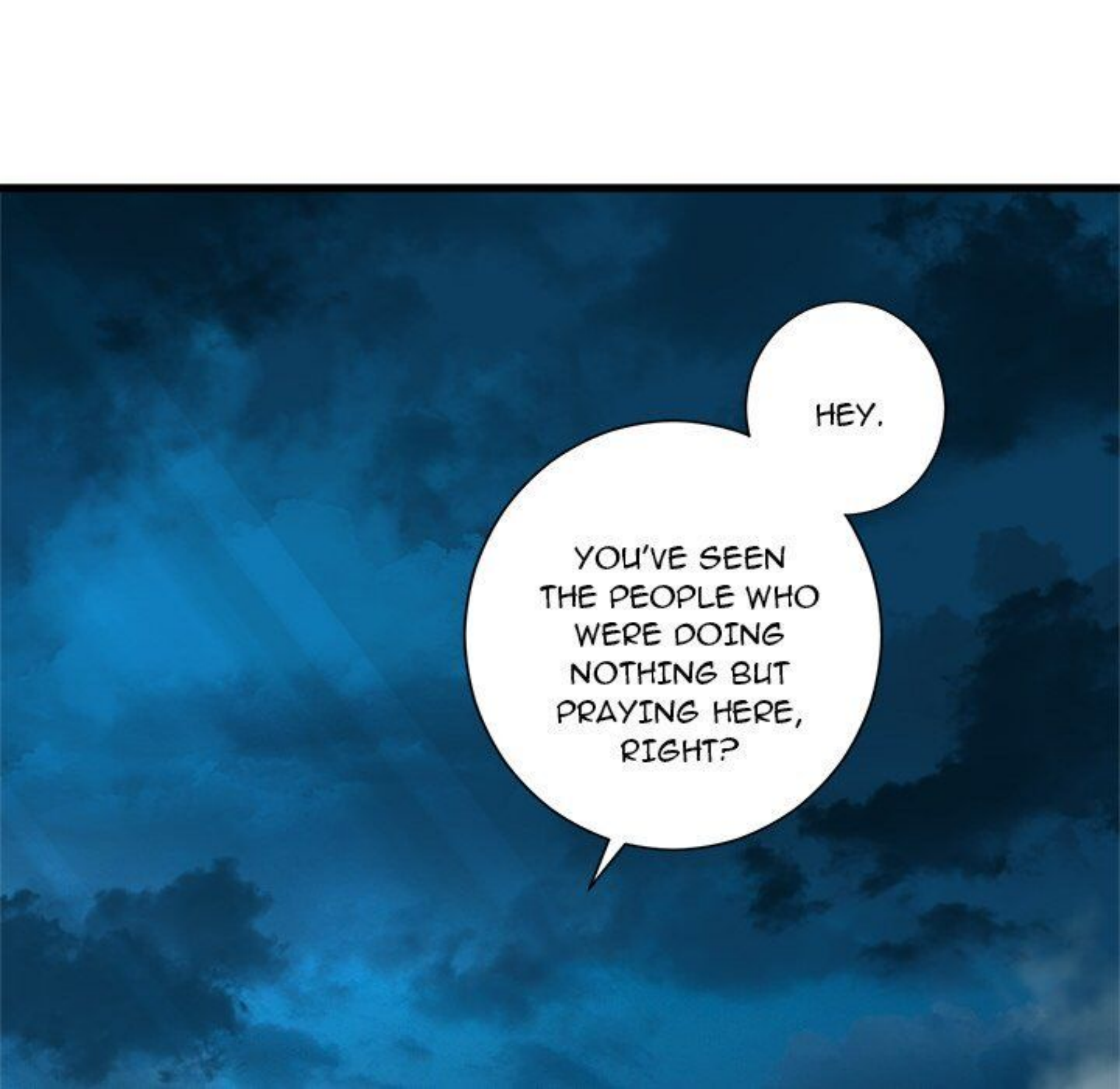
ANYONE CAN
TELL SHE'S JUST
A LITTLE GIRL!





HOW IS THAT
ANY DIFFERENT
FROM EATING A
HUMAN BEING?!





HEY.

YOU'VE SEEN
THE PEOPLE WHO
WERE DOING
NOTHING BUT
PRAYING HERE,
RIGHT?



HUNDREDS
OF THEM DIE
ON THE GROUND
EVERY SINGLE
DAY.



THEY MIGHT
BE SIMILAR TO US
PRAYER HALL
FOLK.



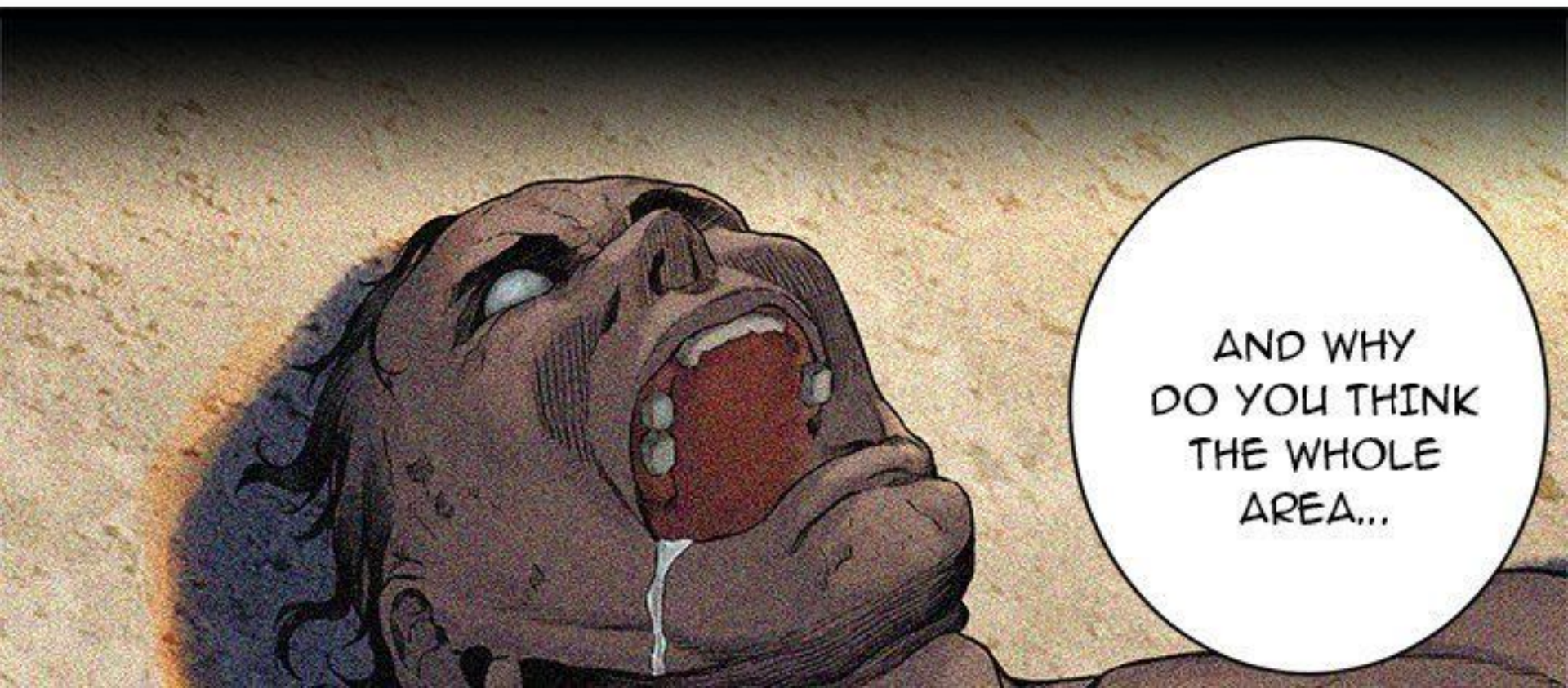
BUT...

DID YOU
EVER ASK
YOURSELF...


HOW WE
EAT AND SURVIVE
IF ALL WE'RE DOING
IS PRAYING?



...WHAT?



AND WHY
DO YOU THINK
THE WHOLE
AREA...



ISN'T LITTERED
WITH THEIR
CORPSES?

HIER SUMMON